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Sanjay,

Attached please find a copy of Illinois EPA's SOP for CAFO NPDES Permits as approved by EPA. Illinois EPA submitted the SOP to EPA for approval in accordance with February 4, 2013 Illinois Program Work Plan Agreement between Illinois EPA and Region 5, US EPA, Objective 1, Approach 4.

Although Appendix E of the attached approved SOP does reflect current Illinois rules for livestock operations, EPA believes that when the Illinois Pollution Control Board takes final action on Illinois EPA's proposed amendments to 35 Ill. Adm. Code, Subtitle E, revisions to Appendix E will be needed. EPA encourages Illinois EPA to revisit this SOP and make changes, as appropriate, to reflect any future revisions to current state rules.

EPA appreciates the time and effort Illinois EPA put into the development of the SOP. We look forward to your implementation of the SOP.